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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
Group Art Unit 2838

In re

Patent Application of

Mark Kubale, et al.

Application No. 10/635,058

Confirmation No. 1333

Filed: August 6, 2003

Examiner: Edward H. Tso

“ADAPTER FOR A POWER TOOL  
BATTERY”

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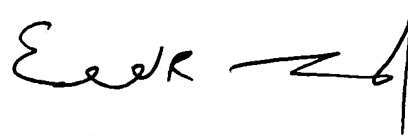
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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "E. R. Lawson Jr.", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims**, as reflected in the listing of claims, begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 15 of this paper;

**Remarks** begin on page 16 of this paper.